

THE EVENING NEWS.

FIFTH YEAR—NO. 32

BENTON HARBOR, MICH., MONDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1899.

TWO CENTS.

PROTESTED INNOCENCE.

Boucher Tells the Court
He's Innocent.

Sentenced to Jackson
for Natural Life.

At Hard Labor and Soli-
tary Confinement.

This afternoon Judge Coolidge sentenced William Boucher, the murderer of William Hawken, to hard labor and solitary confinement for the rest of his natural life.

Boucher was more than usually pale and clearly realized his position.

When asked if he had anything to say why sentenced should not be pronounced upon him he answered:

"Yes sir, I am innocent."

It is understood that Boucher's attorneys will ask for a new trial.

NEW STATE BANK.

Names of Officers and Directors
Are Made Public.

The new state bank is now a certainty. The following excellent list of officers and directors was made public today: Directors, L. W. Conkey, president; H. D. Poole, vice president; G. M. Valentine, A. R. Nowlin, S. L. VanCamp, J. H. Lee, M. B. Vents and William Wallace. William Rapp of Pleasant Hill, will be cashier.

EARLY CLOSING HIT.

WHITE HOUSE STORE GIVES
REASON FOR QUITTING.

C. & J. Scherer, proprietors of the White House store, make the following announcement today:

Notice—The agreement made between the store keepers to close their stores at 6 o'clock evenings was broken by some one last week and as a result the White House store will from this date be found open to their trade evenings.

C. & J. SCHERER.

ST. JOSEPH.

I. C. Travis has returned from a trip on the road.

Mrs. S. E. Traver, of Chicago, is the guest of his cousin, Mrs. John Wilson.

A. B. Shepard, of Howard & Pearl's drug store, secured the rifle that was given away at Burkhardt Bros.

Miss Vera Boughton, Mrs. A. R. Gould and Mrs. Kate Keppier returned today from Chicago, where they have been visiting Mrs. McDonald.

About 10 o'clock last evening fire was discovered in the barn and woodshed combined on the corner of Ship and Main street. The fire department was soon at the scene and did usual good work. The damages were very slight. There was an alarm sounded in from the beach Saturday evening.

The fire department was called out last Saturday evening to extinguish a fire on the beach near the knitting factory but by the time they arrived the neighbors had the fire out. It was the home of a German family and the fire was caused by a cat jumping on the table and overturning a lamp which exploded.

Dr. Parker's barn back of the Twin City hotel caught fire last night about 10 o'clock and it was only by the prompt arrival of the fire department that the blaze was extinguished. It is evident that the barn was set on fire and the police are looking into the affair.



This report is heard around the world, annihilating time, distance and resistance.

The up-to-date business man will keep pace with the times. He will do in his power to keep his store so active that it will invite the attention of buyers.

The telephone is one of the means of end. It will bring people to place of business.

**MICHIGAN
TELEPHONE CO.**

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Tuesday. Warmer north portion tonight.

FOOTBALL TALK.

Benton Harbor Not Receiving Much Cheer.

The Boys However Expect to Do Plainwell.

Niles' awful defeat by Plainwell Saturday was a complete surprise to the Benton Harbor boys, who play Plainwell the coming Saturday. Several of the boys had wagered light amounts on the Niles team and those more doubtful had placed Plainwell's score very much smaller than it turned out to be.

While many believe that the Benton Harbor-Plainwell game will be but a repetition of the Niles-Plainwell contest, the players themselves look for victory. They figure that the present team is 50 per cent stronger than when it ran up against Niles, that the ends and backs of the Benton Harbor team are superior to those of the Niles aggregation and that the line is heavier.

The fact that Niles failed to score against Plainwell signifies nothing, as they would have been like doomed in the Benton Harbor game had it not been for a bad fumble on the part of the home team.

Judging from the previous games it is thought Plainwell will buck the Benton Harbor line, directing their hardest attacks against the tackles, the object being to pound these players so that they cannot hold against Plainwell's advances. Benton Harbor's tackles have been trained to counteract just such plays and it is altogether likely that the Plainwell boys will be foiled at their own game.

It is stated on what appears reliable authority that the Plainwell team averages 165 pounds.

This will be a hard week for the home eleven. Practice will begin at 4 and 6 p.m. every evening. The ordinary plays will be practised and also many new ones, after which the entire team will run a distance of two miles. Rub downs will be in order after every practise and the players will live on a regular prescribed diet.

In regard to the outcome of the game, Captain Plummer says: "It will be close. It will not be a run away for either team."

Manager Banyon: "The team is stronger than when it played Niles. I see no reason why Benton Harbor doesn't stand as much chance as Plainwell."

Half-back Busby: "We will play to win, that's all anyone can expect of us."

Guy Bort, coach of the St. Joe team, believes Plainwell will win, 26 to 0. If this score is lowered he thinks the Benton Harbor team is worthy of great credit.

Another St. Joe sport who prides himself upon his wide knowledge of football, predicts Plainwell's victory by 70 to 0.

DIDN'T KILL FATTED CALF

But Prof Wilson Celebrated Return
Quarantined Teachers

The four teachers who were put in quarantine several weeks ago—Harrer, Eaton, Anna and Chloe McCartney—returned to their school duties this morning. It was a question if they had even been exposed to the disease called smallpox but the health officer wisely put them in quarantine until all possibility of their coming down with the disease was passed. There was rejoicing in school to see the teachers back and one of the smaller boys has written the following account of their return.

The four teachers who were quarantined returned today and Prof. Wilson has a new suit of clothes, pair of shoes and a fresh hair cut to celebrate the event—He looks pretty slick too."

TOCURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromine Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25¢.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Norman H. LaMunion and Charles LaMunion have secured an injunction against Will James E. Jones of St. Joseph restraining him from operating at a livery stable in that city on a certain lot. They claim that it is contrary to a certain contract.

Freida Kersey, by her attorney Nathaniel Bacon, has been granted a divorce from her husband, Freda Kersey, on the ground of cruelty, non support and drunkenness.

Edgar Walker, charged with criminal assault upon a little girl aged eight years, was arraigned in court this morning and plead not guilty.

Court has adjourned until next Monday.

REWARDS ARE OFFERED.

Reward—The trustees of the First Baptist church will pay \$10 reward for the conviction of the party or parties who are throwing stones through the windows of the church or for information leading to the arrest of the guilty ones.

A liberal reward will be offered for information concerning the parties who broke into the boat house located down by the Alden cannery factory on the LL Gap road. 32d Roy Wallace.

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HIS FATE UNKNOWN.

Persistent Rumors of the Surrender of Gen. White.

NO CONFIRMATION IS RECEIVED.

The Capture of Colenso a Hard Blow to the British—Latter Said to Have Defeated Boers in a Fight on Thursday.

Lisbon, Nov. 6.—Persistent reports are in circulation here that Gen. Sir George Stewart White, British commander in Natal, has capitulated to the Boers.

Not Confirmed.

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The Fighting in London.

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Capture of Colenso.

London, Nov. 6.—The war office has issued the following announcement:

"The colonial office has received information to the effect that the British troops have withdrawn from Colenso and have concentrated further south, but we have no news of any engagement in that neighborhood."

At six p.m. Sunday the colonial office announced that no further information had been received regarding the retirement of the British forces from Colenso, and that the reported rising of the Basutos had not been confirmed.

A Bitter Pill.

London, Nov. 6.—News that Colenso has been evacuated was another bitter pill for the British public, and is arousing fears that the continental statements of a second serious defeat of Gen. White may prove true. A significant fact is that the war office does not say when Colenso was evacuated, so the statement which emanated Thursday from Dr. Leyds, the diplomatic representative of the Transvaal, who is located at Brussels, that the Boers had occupied Colenso, was possibly true. There is much apprehension that the war office is suppressing bad news.

The Siege of Colenso.

Colenso, Nov. 2. (Delayed in transmission.)—Colenso at this hour is threatened by the enemy. His patrols, in advance of Boer forces 2,000 strong, but without field guns, are marching in an easterly direction to the north of Colenso. Shots have been exchanged between the British and Boer patrols, the latter being driven inward upon the main body. The British patrols lost one man killed and the Boer patrols lost two. Heavy firing is now in progress at Ladysmith, which the Boers are shelling from their positions on Groblerskloof hill, this side of Ladysmith.

Boer Camp Captured.

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The City of Louisville will finish the season with tri-weekly trips to Chicago. The steamer will leave this port on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings of each week.

Closing Out Sale

...AT...

Jackson's Gun Store and Loan Office

108 Water St. Benton Harbor Mich.

Closing out my entire stock of ladies' and gents' UNREDEEMED bicycles. Bicycles sold on the installment plan, one-third down, balance weekly payments. Closing out my entire stock of UNREDEEMED shot guns, rifles and revolvers. Closing out my entire stock of ladies' and gents' UNREDEEMED watches at prices that will make you buy. Closing out my entire stock of UNREDEEMED sewing machines, only four left. Closing out my entire stock of UNREDEEMED musical instruments—banjos, guitars, violins, mandolins and one Cottage organ. Closing out my entire stock of UNREDEEMED men's clothing—65 good second-hand winter overcoats on hand, no old trash in the lot. Closing out my entire stock of ammunition of all kinds. Shot gun and rifle powder 25¢ per pound; loaded paper shells, 12 and 16 gauge, a leader at 40¢ per box; 10 gauge paper shells, 15 cents; see my line of smokeless revolver, rifle and shot gun cartridges. Closing out my entire stock of UNREDEEMED gold rings at 50¢ on the dollar. Closing out my entire line of fishing tackle, hunting and sporting goods of all kinds. Remember that I have in stock every size of chilled shot and buckshot made on earth.

All kinds of Shot Guns and Rifles to rent by the day or week.

Wedge and Wall Tents for sale.

My Soda Fountain for sale.

About 14 wagon loads of second-hand truck of all kinds for sale. I loan money on all kinds of personal property, except stolen goods and I always have lots of goods on hand that I am glad to sell. I will sell my entire stock of goods, wares and merchandise to any man that wants to go into business in Benton Harbor. I have old goods enough in the last 22 years and I am ready to quit business. Will not trade for any old thing but want the cash.

Until further notice I will pay \$4.00 per pound for good, dry, clean ginseng. After Nov. 1 I will pay the best market price for all kinds of raw furs. Square business all the time.

Confidence in White.

Cape Town, Nov. 2. (Delayed in transmission.)—The Cape Argus has received the following from Ladysmith: On the suggestion of Gen. White the women and children were sent south last evening. A large number of men left at the same time. Some of these behaved badly toward the women.

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here in Gen. White and his staff, and it is expected that another pitched battle will dispel the lingering hopes of the Boers that they will be able to take Ladysmith.

From Gen. Butler.

London, Nov. 6.—The war office issued the following at 11:40 p.m. Sunday:

"Butler, to the Secretary of State for War: Cape Town, Nov. 5, 8:30 p.m.—The commandant at Durban sends the following, received from Ladysmith by pigeon post, dated November 3: Yesterday Gen. French went out with cavalry and field

artillery and effectively shelled the Boer laager, without loss on our side. Lieut. Egerton, of the Powerful, is dead. Gen. Jonkman sent in Maj. C. S. Kincaid, of the Royal Irish Fusiliers, and nine wounded prisoners. Eight Boers were sent out in exchange, no others being fit to travel.

"Col. Brecklehurst, with cavalry, field artillery, the imperial light horse and the Natal mounted volunteers, was engaged to-day with the enemy to the southwest of Ladysmith. The fighting lasted several hours. Our loss was very small.

"The bombardment of Ladysmith continued yesterday and to-day, many Boer shells being pitched into the town.

"Our troops are in good health and spirits and the wounded are doing well."

Over 500 Missing.

Durban, Natal, Nov. 2. (Delayed in transmission.)—The official roll call shows that 843 members of the Gloucestershire regiment and of the Royal Irish Fusiliers are missing as the result of the engagement on Farquhar's farm. Thirty-two members of the Gloucestershire regiment, ten members of the Royal Irish Fusiliers and two members of the Tenth mountain battery were found killed. Between 70 and 100 escaped and returned to Ladysmith, whether 150 wounded have been brought.

At Mafeking.

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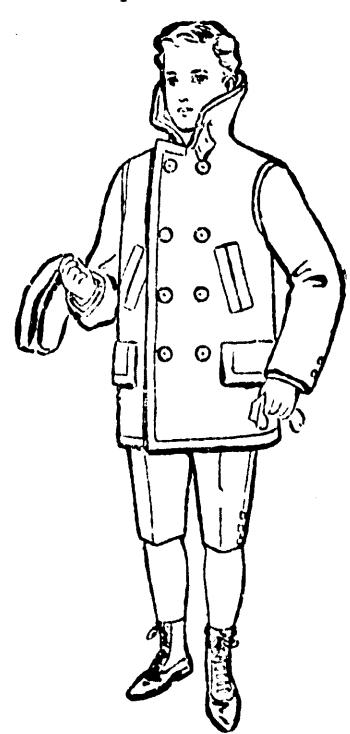
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The Big Overcoat Sale.



Organized by us this fall has beyond a doubt been the greatest success and the nearest an ideal sale of anything that has ever been offered to the people of this community. It will be remembered that a few weeks ago we purchased a stock of Overcoats at a ridiculous low price after we had made

BENTON HARBOR GIRLS

Have Been Helped to Good Lives by Crittenton Missions.

Rev. C. E. Maxfield Began Pastorate at Baptist Church.

The services at the Presbyterian church last night were very interesting and were largely attended. Mrs. Ida Stewart Edgar a representative of the Florence Crittenton Beulah home located at 963 North Clark street, Chicago, addressed the meeting and explained the work of the Florence Crittenton missions.

A few years ago in the city of New York a gentleman named Crittenton had a beautiful little daughter named Florence who was four years old. She was taken sick and died and the father nearly went distracted. He was millionaire and owned a large store in the city. One evening, a few months after the death of his daughter, Mr. Crittenton was riding home in a street car and was brooding over the loss of his daughter when glancing from the car window he saw two young girls.

That night Mr. Crittenton visited one of the city missions and led the meeting after which he was invited to visit the slums. He went and in one of the saloons which was visited the two young girls he saw from the car window were found in one of the wine rooms, both of them slightly intoxicated. Mr. Crittenton talked to the girls and before he left them they both promised to lead better lives. The question then arose, where can they go, and the answer came, "Only back to their old haunts." They were taken out of the saloon and taken care of and the next day Mr. Crittenton founded the first Florence Crittenton mission on Maple street, New York, and since that time 35 of these homes for fallen girls have been organized in the various cities of the United States.

Mr. Crittenton has turned his store in New York over to his employees and it is run on the co-operative plan. He is devoting all his time to the work.

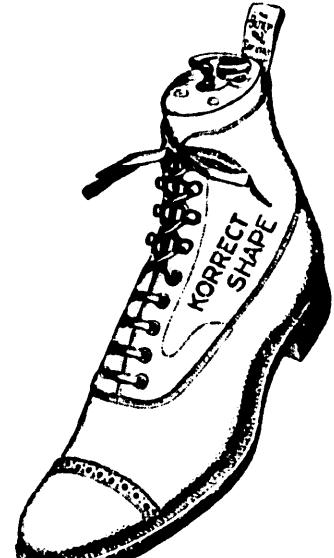
Mrs. Edgar explained that the work was carried on by free will offerings and said that the people of Benton Harbor should take an interest in the Chicago branch of the work as some of our own girls had been inmates of the home and were now in this city leading good Christian lives.

If the weather compels you to buy a pair of Rubber Boots, Felt Boots, Pon-

In Fine and Medium Suits

We can show you the finest and most up-to-date styles that skill can produce and our price will range from 12½ to 25 per cent below the most conservative on the same grade of goods.

If the weather compels you to buy a pair of Rubber Boots, Felt Boots, Pon-



tac "German" Sox, or anything in Overshoes, we are loaded with high and medium grades and can fit and please you.

Underwear in all the standard lines, ranging in price from 50 cents to \$2.00 per garment. Single and double-breasted natural wool undershirts at \$1.00 and \$1.50, with drawers to match at \$1.00 in either line. Those are the best values that money can buy.

We are the ONE PRICE people, the Safe place to Trade. Send in your children.

Hipp, Enders & Avery

Glass for windows, glass for hot beds, glass for pictures, glass to burn at J. E. Rice's. Cheap glass, clear glass, broken glass for rat holes. Come a running, 156 Pipestone street. Tel. 90

"I had dyspepsia fifty-seven years and never found permanent relief till I used Kooldys Dyspepsia Cure. Now I am well and feel like a new man," writes S. J. Fleming, Murray, Neb. It is the best digestant known. Cures all forms of indigestion. Physicians everywhere prescribe it. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

Why not try a sack of Nold's Best Flour?

Having greatly improved the quality of flour known as Wedding Bells, we will now place on the market a new brand, which will be known as

NOLD'S BEST

is equal to most winter wheat flours. Try a sack, all leading grocers sell it.

Geo. Noland, Rockland, O., says: "My wife had piles forty years. Dr. Witt's Witch Hazel Salve cured her. It is the best salve in America." It heals everything and cures all skin diseases. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

GROWING IN FAVOR.

Rev. A. K. Beem, the Supply at the Universalist Church.

Rev. A. K. Beem, the acting pastor of the First Universalist church, is growing in favor with the congregation. A week ago he preached his first sermon here and secured a call to supply the pulpit for a month. Mr. Beem

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TOMORROW NIGHT.

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BLATCHFORD KAVANAUGH.

sweetly sung, touched the hearts of the most hardened criminals. Many ailed. Tears quickly sprang to the eyes of others and were brushed away as quickly. Blatchford Kavanaugh played upon the heartstrings of the old men before him, and facts that were least stubbornly toward the fibers of the inmates. Men without past seemed to gain in a few minutes the sensations that were with them in their earlier and better days. A wisp of a boy, Jamie Cripen, appealed strongly to the men in the penitentiary chapel when he sang in a manner all his own, "Dost Thou Know That Sweet Land?" What the human voice did not effect the magic of instrumental music attained.

Master Arthur Goff, aged 10, played "Annie Laurie" on the cornet, and such a hush fell over the immense

MICHIGAN.

Over 1,500 persons are employed in Bay county harvesting the crop of sugar beets.

A third company is looking for a franchise to install a hot water plant in Bay City.

James McGregor, who fell 75 feet from the Grand Trunk elevator at Port Huron some months ago, is suing the owners for \$30,000 damages, alleging that the rope which failed to hold the scaffold was rotten.

Michigan applicants granted pensions Friday: Original—Willoughby O'Donoghue, Albion, \$8; George W. Harvey, Saugatuck, \$6; Asa M. Hovey, Cobmoor, \$6; Increase—Robert Braison, Holly, \$10 to \$17; Luther G. Tyler, Hickory Corners, \$14 to \$17; Isaiah H. Mirell, Berrien Center, \$6 to \$8; Reissuer—James Woodworth, Kalamazoo, \$2; Widows—Ellen Johnson, Tecumseh, \$8; Mary A. Johnson, Charlotte, \$8; Harriet A. Carpenter, Greenville, \$12.

Six Frightful Failures.

Six terrible failures of six different doctors nearly sent Wm. H. Mullen of Leland, O., to an early grave. All said he had a fatal lung trouble and that he must soon die. But he was urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. After taking five bottles he was entirely cured. It is positively guaranteed to cure all diseases of Throat, Chest and Lungs, including Coughs, Colds, LaGrange, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever, Croup, Whooping Cough, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles 10¢ at Lowe & Witherspoon's drug store.

Two dollar and a half meal ticket for \$2 at Phoenix restaurant.

Old papers for sale at this office

ABOUT THE VICINITY.

West Sodus.

West Sodus, Nov. 6.—John Stump has been painting and papering his house which greatly improves the interior.

The farmers here are very busy gathering their sugar beets and hauling them to the factory.

James Harvey offered his resignation last Sunday night as janitor of the Sodus Bethel church, having served them faithfully for nine years. He has tolled the Bell for 32 funerals.

Orin Brown who has been very sick is now convalescing.

Miss Edith Wells, who left her home two weeks ago, has not been seen or heard from since. Her parents are nearly distressed with grief.

Jacob Harman is again afflicted with rheumatism.

Mrs. Emma Hart has rented her farm and moved into the formerly Lewis Gano house.

Daniel and Mamie Murphy are now occupying the house lately vacated by their mother Mrs. Patrick Dahn, who moved north last week.

Timothy Murphy is going to move his household goods to Chicago.

A Letter to Mrs. Pinkham Brought Health to Mrs. Archambo.

[LETTER TO MRS. PINKHAM NO. 42-395]

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—For two years I felt tired and so weak and dizzy that some days I could hardly go around the house. Backache and headache all the time and my food would not digest and had such pains in the womb and troubled with leucorrhœa and kidneys were affected.

"After birth of each child I grew weaker, and hearing so much of the good you had done, I wrote to you and have taken six bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, one box of Lozenges, one box of Liver Pills, one package of Sanative Wash, and today I am feeling as well as I ever did. When I get up in the morning I feel as fresh as I did when a girl and eat and sleep well and do all of my work. If ever I feel weak again I shall know where to get my strength. I know your medicine cured me."—MRS. SALINA ARCHAMBO, CHARLESTON, MASS.

The present Mrs. Pinkham's experience in treating female ills is unparalleled; for years she worked side by side with Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham, and for sometime past has had sole charge of the correspondence department of her great business, treating by letter as many as a hundred thousand suffering women a year. All women who suffer are invited to write to Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., for advice, which will be promptly given without charge.

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Did You Ever Run a Fanning Mill?

If so, you know that all the good, plump wheat comes out of the front of the mill and only the shrunken and puffed kernels go through the sieve into the chessbox and are blown over the tail of the mill into the chaff. We never lost a good, plump customer in our life. We have heard of such a thing as once in a great while one going into the chessbox or into the chaff but we always doubt it and never knew of a case.

FURNITURE CARPETS CROCKERY STOVES C. J. PECK & CO.,
115-117 E. Main St., Benton Harbor

..PROFLANIY..

If ever excusable is when you get on a collar that snags your neck nearly off. This can be avoided by sending your work to the

CITY STEAM LAUNDRY

Where every collar and cuff is ironed on the edge perfectly smooth. We have the only perfect EDGE IRONER in the city. We guarantee to do you better work and make your goods wear longer than any other laundry in Southwestern Michigan as we have the best facilities.

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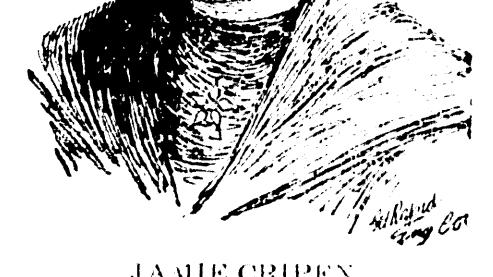
That ours is the largest grocery in the city.

Our Customers Say

That it is the best place in the city to buy reliable goods. Only the best of goods are sold. Our increasing patronage is proof that the people like good things.

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Michael & Beeny



JAMIE CRIPEN

crowd of convicts and there was such a tense strain that one could almost imagine something must give way, must snap, else human hearts would break. A 14-year-old lad, Percy Sudborough, through the difficult medium of the saxophone, "played" "Longing for Home," and if there was not a longing look on every face it was because all the nobler sentiments had been killed. "Roney's Boys" and Blatchford Kavanaugh united in a concert program at the state prison that produced all these remarkable effects.

Instead of the regular forenoon sacred service the prisoners were given a concert. They had been told the night before to expect a change in the regular regime and 1,000 programs were disturbed to them to give them a hint of the sort of entertainment they were to get. Each man had read and re-read his program and each man brought the slip of paper into the chapel hall, and clinging to it throughout the concert, took it back to his cell with him and in many cases will send it away in a letter to a mother or sister to give them the news of the treat.

Editor Sees Wonders.

Editor W. V. Barry of Lexington, Tenn., is exploring Mammoth Cave, contracted a severe case of Piles. His quick cure through using Bucklin's Arnica Salve convinced him it is another world's wonder. Cures Piles, Inflammation, and all Bodily Eraptions. Only 25¢ at Lowe & Witherspoon's drug store.

Does Coffee Agree With You?

If not, drink Grain-O made from pure grains. A lady writes: "The first time I made Grain-O I did not like it but after using it for one week nothing would induce me to go back to coffee." It nourishes and feeds the system. The children can drink it freely with great benefit. It is the strengthening substance of pure grains. Get a package today from your grocer, follow the directions in making it and you will have a delicious and healthful table beverage for old and young. 15¢ and 25¢.

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If not, drink Grain-O made from pure grains. A lady writes: "The first time I made Grain-O I did not like it but after using it for one week nothing would induce me to go back to coffee."

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Kalamazoo, Lansing, Battle Creek, Marshall, Ionia, Saginaw, Detroit, Cadillac, Grand Rapids, Muskegon.

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TWIN CITY TELEPHONE 172.
MONDAY, NOV. 6, 1899.

HERE is a growing suspicion that
sermen will not be censured if
or makes a mistake in select-
ing police.

Plainwell football team has a
of victories as long as that to
the British army. There is
possibility, however, that Oom Plum-
mer and his men may outgeneral the
Plainwell utlanders. Because the
Plainwell team ate up the Niles ag-
gregation does not prove that they are
invincible.

GEORGE Boucher told Judge Cool-
idge today that he was innocent. The
convicted murderer might possibly
have saved himself by testifying in his
own behalf. His attorneys did not ap-
pear to think that anything he might
say would have any weight with the
jury or anybody else. His statement
made no impression on the judge.

THE election in Ohio tomorrow will
be close. This fact was gently given
to the outsider yesterday in the Chi-
cago Times-Herald, the McKinley
organ in the west, when it announced
editorially that the election of a repub-
lican governor in that state by a small
plurality would not mean that the
state had repudiated the

How's This?

e Hundred Dollars re-
-e of Catarrh that can
-all's Catarrh Cure.
J. CHENEY & CO.
Props., Toledo, O.
Signed, have known F.
last 15 years, and be-
-tifully honorable in all
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**& MARVIN, Whole-
-lebo, Ohio.**
Cure is taken in-
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ills are the best.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

WANTED - A GIRL FOR GENERAL
house work. Inquire of Mrs. Seely McCord.

WANTED TO TRADE A NEW 7 ROOM
house for small farm. Address B. News.

FOR RENT HOUSE ON CORTEZ
Street, near Pipestone street. Water and
gas. Inquire W. H. Baker, 142 Pipestone. 321

policy of the administration. It looks
as if the Times-Herald was getting
ready to "explain" it.

The Coloma Methodists do not be-
lieve that religion is a good thing for a
horse. On Hallowe'en night some
naughty boys put a horse in the village
church and it was a couple of days be-
fore the animal was found. The fast-
ing did not seem to agree with the
horse and the brethren are mad at the
younger portion of the community. If
some of the Coloma brethren are on
the jury which hears the case of Mr.
Erick, the Galien man who shot a
marauder Hallowe'en night, he is like-
ly to be voted a pension by the jury.

BIG MINING COMPANY

IT IS NOW BEING ORGANIZED IN THIS CITY.

A copper mining company is being
organized in this city composed of pro-
minent business men as officers and
directors of the new company.

The property is located about 20
miles from Deadwood in the Black
Hills and only three miles from the B.
& M. railway. The property is not
limited to favorable indications but has
made actual shipments to smelters.

One shipment to a Chicago copper re-
fining company consisting of a car of
ore yielded 16 per cent copper to the
ton. As the average return of copper
from the Michigan mines is less than
2 per cent, it is evident that our local
citizens have something pretty rich.

Mr. Geo. M. Thresher, who has the
promoting of this company, says he was
on the property and that the rock
which he broke off with a miner's pick
in the tunnels and brought to Chicago,
were pronounced by experts as a splen-
did sineling ore of high grade. He
says that the property has been exam-
ined by a high authority on copper
formations and that this gentleman
pronounced it as having great merit.

Mr. Thresher says that copper stocks
always sell higher than other mining
stocks because they pay the largest
dividends, but he proposes that our
citizens shall have a chance to buy
some of this stock at ground floor
prices.

Bainbridge Man Wandered Away.

John Detemple, aged 81, wandered
away from his home in Bainbridge,
three and a half miles south of Coloma,
Wednesday morning and was found by
Fred Lundy near South Haven, nearly
19 miles from his home. Mr. Detemple
is a well known pioneer of Berrien
county, and much anxiety was felt in
regard to his safety.

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Made Young Again.

"One of Dr. King's New Life Pills
each night for two weeks has put me in
my 'teens' again," writes D. H. Turner
of Dempseytown, Pa. They're the best
in the world for Liver, Stomach and
Bowels. Purely vegetable. Never
grape. Only 25c at Lowe & Wither-
spoon's drug store.

Lobsters, soft shell crabs, shrimps,
oysters, broiler and all game in season
at Phoenix restaurant.

Old papers for sale at this office.

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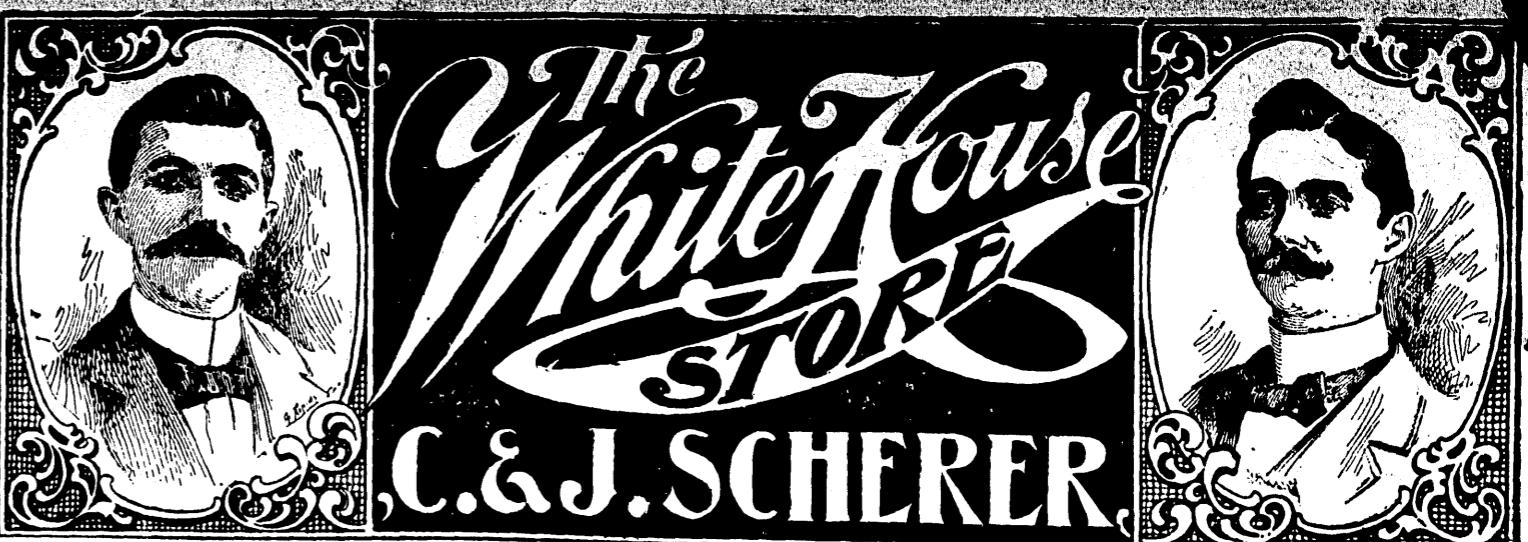
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WHITE

...DENTIST

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Benton Harbor...



As a result of the Burridge fire Wednesday night some of our stock was badly smoked
and in order to close them out quick we will give from

25 to 50 per cent off on all damaged goods.

OUR BIG SALE will begin Saturday morning, Nov. 4, and continue until all
damaged goods are sold. The stock consists of Dry Goods, Men's and Boys' Suits,
Overcoats and Ulsters, Ladies', Misses' and Children's Jackets and Capes, Skirts, Hoods,
Fascinators, Shawls, Underwear, Gloves and Mittens, Hats and Caps, Dress Goods,
Blankets, etc. Remember fires are no everyday occurrences and you may never have
such an opportunity again, so now is the chance to lay in your winter supply.

III WEST MAIN ST., - - BENTON HARBOR,

HERR BROS.

Going Out of Business

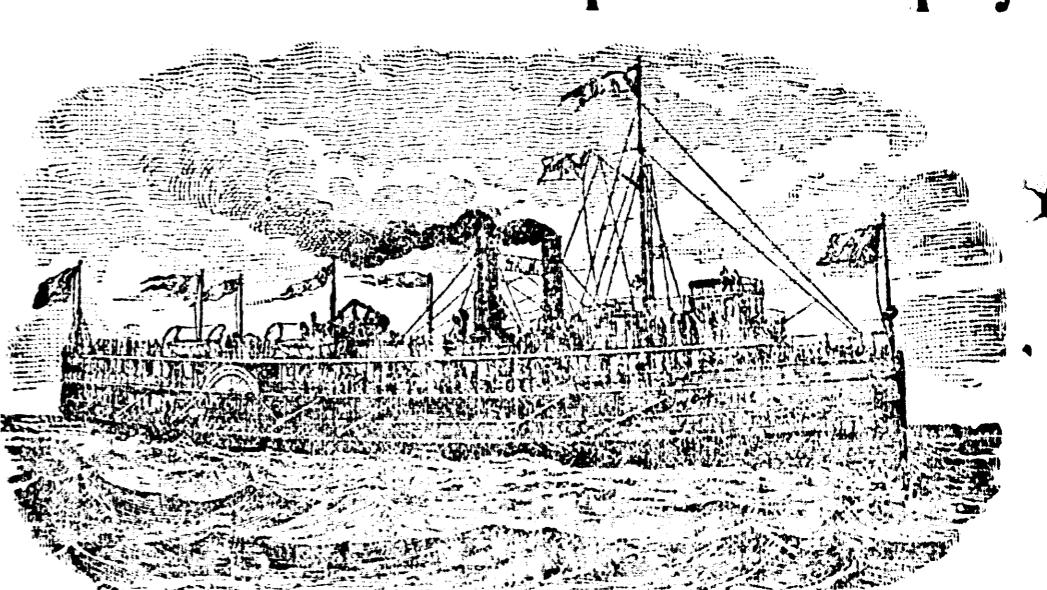
Not Grocery but Lamp and Crockery Business

Beginning Tuesday, November 7

We will close out our stock of Lamps,
Crockery and Glassware at cost. Will
go out of these lines as we need room
for our growing grocery trade.

HERR BROS.

Graham & Morton Transportation Company



Until further notice the steamer City of Louisville will make tri-weekly
trips between Benton Harbor, St. Joseph and Chicago on the following sched-
ule: Leave Benton Harbor at 8 P. M., St. Joseph at 9 P. M., Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays: leave Chicago at 11:30 P. M., Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

The right is reserved to change this schedule without notice.
DOCKS—Chicago, foot of Wabash Ave.
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Benton Harbor, N. Water St.
J. H. GRAHAM, President.
J. S. MORTON, Secy and Treas.

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..MANUFACTURERS' SALE OF LINENS..

..TUESDAY..

The makers of TABLE LINENS have sent for this sale 50 pieces of pure linen damas and in-
struct us to make the price as follows:

55 inch Red Damask, worth 35c,

60 inch Red Damask, worth 35c,

56 inch Cream Damask, worth 35c,

60 inch Cream Damask, worth 75c,

65 inch white Damask, worth 80c,

72 inch white Damask, worth \$1.00,

7c inch white Damask, worth \$1.75,

DAMASK NAPKINS to Match Above.

22x22, worth \$1.75,

22x22, worth \$2.50,

23x28, worth \$3.00,

24x24, worth \$4.50,

sale price, 25c

sale price, 25c

sale price, 30c

sale price, 50c

sale price, 55c

sale price, 75c

sale price, \$1.25

18c

20c

25c

30c

GENUINE BUTCHER LINENS

(Made by Brookfield Linen Co., Belfast, Ireland.)

36 inch, value 35c,

36 inch, value 45c,

40 inch, value 60c,

Mnfrs. price, 25c

Mnfrs. price, 32c

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TOWELS.

20x40, very absorbent, heavy border, all linen,
17x32, fine hem-stitched satin Damask,
23x42, fine hem-stitched satin Damask,
20x38, fine hem-stitched, fancy borders, all linen,

WEDNESDAY ...HOSIERY DAY...

No man, woman or child can afford to be absent from this day's sale and you must wetch this
space in Tuesday's paper for the special prices as we do not know today what the manufac-
turers will ask us to do or how low they want us to make the price.

Attend the Big Sale of Satin Waists Thursday and Skirt Sale Friday.

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The Unpardonable Sin.
Judge—What made you assault your lawyer?

Dooley—Ile insulted me, sor. He rootlessly thumped upon the deepest prejudices av a dhow-throdden race; he mocked the tinhertest sensibilities av a unfoortooneate nation; he made a byword an' a hissin' in me sacredlest feelin's, an' in me humble risignation jeered at the misfoortoons av a licked but not vanquished pape. An', yer 'oner, O'll allow no man to do all that widout pokin' him wan in the jaw av him.

"Dear me! And how did he make such a comprehensive foozle of it?"

"He asked me, yer 'oner, me name, an' whin' O'll told him Albert E. Dooley, he says: 'Oh, yes; Albert Edward, av course. Named after the pri—an' thin O'll pushed his face.'—N. Y. World.

Value Male Birds Most.

In the canary-breeding establishments of Germany only the male birds are valued, for the females never sing. The method of training the birds to sing is to put them in a room where there is an automatic whistle, which they all strive to imitate. The breeder listens to the efforts of the birds and picks out the most apt pupils, which are then placed in another room for further instruction. These are the best singers and ultimately fetch high prices. The less gifted birds are sorted into second and third quality and are sold, while those which show no vocal powers are destroyed.—Chicago Chronicle.

Brave Explorers

Like Stanley and Livingstone, found it harder to overcome Malaria, Fever and Ague, and Typhoid disease germs than savage cannibals; but thousands have found that Electric Bitters is a wonderful cure for all malarial diseases. If you have chills with fever, aches in back of neck and head, and tired, worn-out feeling, a trial will convince you of their merit. W. A. Null of Webb, Ill., writes: "My children suffered for more than a year with chills and fever, then two bottles of Electric Bitters cured them." Only 50 cents. Try them. Guaranteed. Sold by Lowe & Witherspoon, druggists.

Fifteen cents buys a good dinner at the Phoenix restaurant.

Draying.

All kinds of light draying and wood and coal delivered. Twin City phone 271; Bell phone 328.

111 W. R. KENNEDY.

Notice.

We have a full and complete line of No. 1 monuments of marble, granite and rustie, which we will sell at astonishing low prices. Our stock is larger than we can afford to carry through the winter. Come and see for yourself and save agents' profits.

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When you want a stylish rig visit the lively bawn of A. Kennedy or leave your order with W. E. Kennedy.

NOTICE.

We wish to call the attention of fruit growers to the fact that we will discontinue giving free transportation on and after November 5, and that all such transportation will not be accepted for return trip after November 15.

GRAHAM & MORTON TRANS. CO.,
Benton Harbor, Mich., October 23, 1899.

Farmers & Merchants Bank...

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CHARLES F. COOPER, Cashier
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Edward Brant, O. H. Hipp,
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Charles Foster.

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Do a General Banking Business.

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We change our ad. because we change our prices. Raise? No, we lower. Commencing to day we sell

Freidman's High Grade Butterine ..at 15c a pound

We are headquarters for everything in the meat line, oysters and fish. Get our prices. See our stock. We can save you money.



J. J. Miller
The Meat Man..

LOCAL BREVIETIES

W. H. BERKHEISER is suffering with a poisoned hand, the result of dust from sand paper.

The fan quilt made by the willing workers will be drawn at the Hotel Benton next Wednesday.

MR. and Mrs. Bert Nowlan are the parents of a little son which arrived at their home last Saturday.

GEORGE B. Warren announces the articles that he will put on special sale to-morrow and Wednesday.

WILLIAM Bryant, of Detroit, editor of the Michigan Presbyterian, will enclose the pupit at the Presbyterian church a week from next Sunday.

THE steamer City of Louisville will hereafter make tri-weekly trips to Chicago. She will leave this city Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights.

L. L. MERRILL has the contract for the carpenter work and Capt. T. A. Walker the contract for the brick work on the new Graham & Morton warehouse.

BLATCHFORD Kavanaugh and the Roney Boys at the First Methodist church tomorrow night. This is the first number in the Y. M. C. A. lecture course.

THE union Thanksgiving service will be held at the Presbyterian church this year. Rev. W. J. Cady, the Congregational pastor, will preach the sermon.

CITY council will meet in regular session tonight. It is the first meeting in November, and consequently the allowing of bills will be a principal feature of the occasion.

STREET Commissioner Shankland is grading the north side of High street, or the residents of Brunson avenue whose back yard is on High street will have to shovel snow off from two walks.

THE funeral of the late Captain Miller was held from the family residence on Pine stone street yesterday afternoon and was in charge of the Masonic order. George H. Thomas post G. A. R. attended the funeral in a body.

THERE will be a special meeting of the International Congress Tuesday evening, November 7, in the G. A. R. hall. Business of importance to all concerned. All members should be present. JOHN L. APPLEYARD, R. R.

No visitors are allowed in the Waverly sugar factory. The work last week was hindered to a considerable extent by the visitors and no one will be admitted to the factory this week, it will probably be four or five days before the factory is ready to run.

THE returns from all the state elections held tomorrow will be received at Hotel Benton tomorrow night. Great interest is being manifested in the result, especially from Ohio, and it is likely that a large number of citizens will go to bed before they know who is elected.

JAMES & JAMES H. Pound this week have inaugurated a "Disorder Sale." They enjoyed such a large sale last week that they and their stores in triple disorder. Their advertisement is very interesting as in a mild way it roasts the other merchants who have special sales in progress.

THE St. Joseph and Benton Harbor street railway company are repairing the viaduct between the two cities in a most substantial manner. They are re-paving with three-inch oak piano and putting in new supports where it is necessary. The work is under the supervision of Superintendent Olson.

THE monthly meeting of the Farmers' Mutual fire insurance company was held last Saturday at Buchanan, at which time and place the amount of insurance taken was \$140,000. The board of directors are talking some of erecting a building for their use but no definite conclusion has been arrived at.

R. C. BOWMAN, a former Benton Harbor boy, now cartoonist on the Minneapolis Tribune, has just written a little book entitled "Peebles and Tan." The book is a clever little production and the author has dedicated it to his mother. George M. Bell & Co. received a supply of the booklets this morning.

THE work on the Bell opera house is not making the rapid progress that the company would like. It is impossible to secure the proper number of bricklayers. Three were employed last week and Contractor Mills secured another this morning, making four. Double that number could work to good advantage.

THE ladies of the First Methodist church have set the date for their annual chrysanthemum fair. It will be held at Conkey's hall on Wednesday afternoon and evening, November 15. Great effort is being made to surpass all the previous fairs held by the ladies and to do that means that it will be one of the features of the winter's entertainment.

SHORTLY after the NEWS was printed Saturday night Fullback Plummer came rushing into the office protesting that there must be a mistake about Plainwell beating Niles that afternoon 41 to 0. The report came by telephone and there was a mistake as the fullback had guessed. The score was Plainwell, 46; Niles, 0. The corrected returns will not add much consolation to the local team.

W. H. FRAZE, who a few months ago moved with his family to this city from Sister Lakes and purchased the Westcott house, died today at 11 o'clock after an illness of several months with anemia. Mr. Fraze was fifty years of age and leaves a wife and eleven children besides a father and mother to mourn his loss. The funeral arrangements have not as yet been made but will be announced tomorrow.

Dr. S. M. White dentist

WATCH THE ALDERMEN.

Rev. E. A. Hoffman's Advice to Benton Harbor Voters.

Rev. E. A. Hoffman, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city, has written the following open letter to the voters of this city:

To the voters of Benton Harbor: Last spring we elected a mayor and council under the conviction that they would co-operate in securing for us good municipal government.

The mayor seems disposed to do what his oath requires of him, and aims to appoint good and capable officers. His appointment for chief of police, made one week ago, was voted by the council. What his further purpose is, I am not informed, but he will probably make another nomination this evening. I want to speak a word of warning and ask of you, as voters, to watch the course of your representatives in the council. Observe how they vote and endeavor to discover their motives for the rejection of the nominations of the mayor. If the person named is unworthy and incapable, their vote against confirmation will be justified. If the candidate is both worthy and capable, and any sinister and improper motive determines their vote, let them be condemned, as they deserve.

"I have never wanted to be president," said the admiral. "I would not under any circumstances be a candidate for the office. When the subject was first broached, after the battle of Manila, I made up my mind I would not think of such a proposition. I have never had my determination upon the point weakened at all. The talk about my possibly being able to save the country is of no weight. If our country ever gets so poor in presidential material that it will have to depend upon one man to save the nation we will indeed be in a pitiable condition."

DEWEY'S DECISION.

The Famous Admiral Rejects His Former Declaration That He Has No Desire to Become President.

New York, Nov. 6.—Admiral Dewey said Sunday: "I do not want to be president. I said this when I was at Manila. I meant it then. I mean it now." The admiral arrived in New York on the Washington express, which reached Jersey City at 2:50 o'clock Sunday afternoon. No one met him at the Jersey City station. He was with President John R. Proctor, of the civil service commission. Upon alighting from the train Admiral Dewey and Mr. Proctor started for a Twenty-third street ferryboat. President Proctor and the admiral parted when they reached the New York side of the river. Dewey summoned a cab and directed the driver to take him to the Cambridge hotel. Thirty-third street and Fifth avenue. Admiral Dewey said he was not here on official business.

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Flag Law Declared Void.

Chicago, Nov. 6.—The Illinois flag law was declared unconstitutional and void in a decision rendered Saturday by Judge Gibbons. This is the first time in the history of Illinois courts that a statute has been held to be unconstitutional because of a premium placed upon spying and informing. The decision was given in a habeas corpus proceeding in behalf of J. J. Hartigan, of the Glasgow woolen mills, who was arrested some time ago for a violation of the law in advertising the goods of his employer.

Lost Many Horses.

London, Nov. 6.—The troopship Rapide, which sailed from Liverpool for South Africa on November 1, but was obliged to turn back owing to damage received in Friday's storm, lost 260 horses overboard in the gale.

A Home Event

Few news items could be of more interest to our readers than a record of the cures which are being effected in our midst by the use of Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. Backaches, kidney aches, headaches, rheumatism, and all the painful results of damaged kidneys are disappearing before the magical influence of Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, which are sold by all dealers at 25 cents a box.

Orders for the new landau of A. Kennedy may be left at the jewelry store of W. E. Kennedy.



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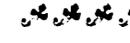
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A good Hemp Carpet for	12c
A good C. C. Carpet for	17c
A good all wool filled Carpet for	22c
New Art Mattings, choice patterns, for	25c
Floor Oil Cloth for	28c
Floor Oil Cloth, choice patterns, for	32c
Linoleum, choice patterns, new designs, for	35c

DRY

The place to buy Groceries at money

19 lbs. granulated sugar	\$1.00
A fancy 75c Ceylon tea	60c
50c and 60c Japan tea	30c and 40c
Coffees—Cordian, XXXX, or a choice bulk Rio	10c
Java and Moon tea per	per
40c for 32c, ark and blends that bring in	blends that bring in
which make them	values.

UNDRY

Telephone 152

DISORDER SALE

Owing to the tremendous trade we did last week we found our stock in a terrible disorder. This, however, was exactly what we wanted as it gives us a chance for a great sale, a chance which evidently all our merchants are looking for. This is no joke but a bona fide sale. We have them every day but Sunday. We don't care to dissolve, we can't have a fire sale and we don't buy enough goods to have all the leading manufacturers call upon us. Therefore we close our burlesque and quote you a few facts. We have always claimed that we sell our goods as cheap every day as others do on sale days.

Compare These Every Day Prices with Sale Prices of our Competitors

Dress Goods

50 pieces 35c, 50c and 60c goods, at 20c and 23c.
A 50 inch homespun for 90c. Others ask \$1 for a 10-inch one.

Venetians at 85c, others ask \$1.

Marlboros at 90c, you can't buy them elsewhere.</p

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ORDERS go directly from us to the Floor
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the persons personally known to Mr. CHAS D.
SNOW (one of the direct Chas D. Snow & Co., our
Chicago correspondents) who has been an active
member operating on the Floor for the past 25 years and stands without a peer among
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We are Allied to No One.

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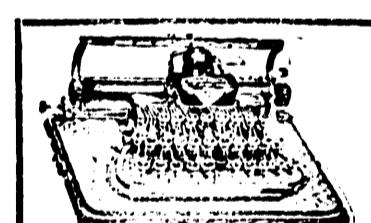
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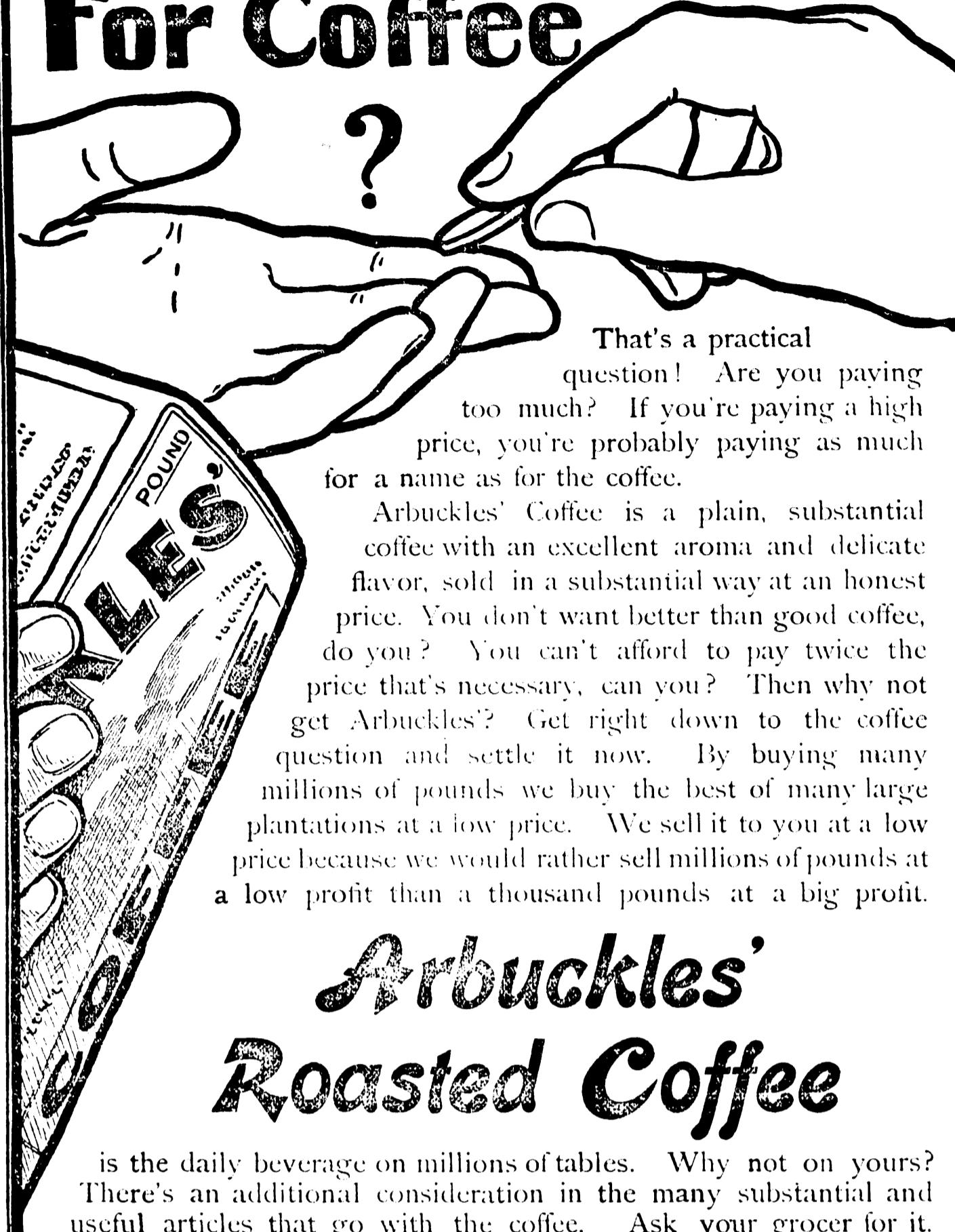
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10 days or TAKE ORDERS FOR 3 SWITCHES
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too much? If you're paying a high
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coffee with an excellent aroma and delicate
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useful articles that go with the coffee. Ask your grocer for it.
He'll tell you all about it. If he endeavors to substitute an imitation,
insist on getting the genuine Arbuckles'—or go elsewhere.

**ARBUCKLE BROS.,
Notion Department.**

New York City, N. Y.

DEATH OF FRANK GILBERT

Well-Known Western Journalist
Falls a Victim to Heart
Trouble in Chicago.

Chicago, Nov. 6.—Frank Gilbert, of
the Inter Ocean, one of the best-known
newspaper men of Chicago, died sud-
denly about nine o'clock Saturday
evening. He had long been a sufferer
from heart disease. Mr. Gilbert was de-
voted to his work. He had been prominent
in newspaper circles in Chicago since 1880.
He was assistant manager of the
United States from 1887 to 1888, being
in charge of the subsidiary in Chicago.
Mr. Gilbert was the leading editorial writer on the Inter Ocean from
1888 to 1894. After two or three years
association with the Tribune, in the
same capacity he returned to the Inter
Ocean in 1894, and had been connected
with that newspaper from that date
to 1896. He was United States consul
consul general for the District of Cle-
verge.

READY TO VOTE

Popular Will be Registered at the
Polls on Tuesday by Freeman of
Twelve States.

Chicago, Nov. 6.—Voters of 42 states
will register their will at the polls
Tuesday. In nine of these governors
will be chosen, in three others to be filled, while
in the remaining three legislatures will
be elected. Iowa, Kentucky, Maryland,
Massachusetts, Mississippi and Ohio
will pick state executives for the com-
ing term. Judiciary contests will be
held in Nebraska, Pennsylvania and
South Dakota. Members of the new
state assemblies will be elected in New
Jersey, New York and Virginia. In
nearly every instance, though, with the
notable exception of Kentucky, the
candidates have been subordinated to
the national issues for which they
stand, and hence the results are await-
ed with far greater interest than is
usual in an off year.

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Is not so much in the features as in
a clear, healthy complexion, and a
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vitality of perfect health. Pale, weak,
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a month. My studio will be in charge
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Mr. LaClear to my patrons and the
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of more than ordinary ability. If you
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Rubbers, Rubber Boots and Felt Slippers
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IN SILENCE, A HERO

THERE was a shimmer of crimson light in
the sky as he rode along. Sitting square
and deep in the saddle, with an attitude
that changed very little as his horse's gait
varied from lope to trot, from trot to walk
or from walk to lope, his eyes fixed straight
ahead, the scout rode, absolutely alone.

Alone and silent, perhaps thoughtful,
perhaps merely dull, the shimmer struck
upon his practiced intuition and he realized
that it was nearly night.

He halted his horse for a moment at a
ragged ravine, on whose bank a dilapidated
shanty had once stood. One side of the
shanty had slipped into the ravine, and the
limsy and deserted building was twisted
and yawning.

Beyond the ravine, into the coule, to the
little stream whose fierce spring overflow
had cut the ravine one day long before and
undermined the whisky shanty with the pre-
tentious name, the scout rode, now slowly.
A pause, and he swung from the saddle,
released the long riata from its post, and
carrying the end to a stump, tethered his
horse. They looked for a moment into each
other's eyes, brute and man, but neither
spoke, though they understood each other.

In a few moments blazing grease wood
cooked his coffee and fried the bacon from
his haversack. He ate slowly, as one with
whom eating was a task not to be trifled with.
The crimson shimmer in the sky
grew fainter and became gray, dark and
black. It was night.

Morning broke and he arose. Before him
lay a vacant prairie and the duty of the day.
He swung himself back into the saddle and
rode, rode, rode.

Solitude and silence had been his portion
so much that language was to him a curse
a rarity a luxury. He seldom heard the
sound of a human voice, and when he did
he listened deeply and answered deliberately,
for his supply of speech was not great.
As he rode there came a scream from the
overhead a shriek, a scream. But he did
not look upward.

He knew the voice was the voice of a
Springfield ball, high in the air. Man and
horse lay down and waited. Neither moved
but both watched.

On the top of a little knoll, far away,
he saw a bush wave too fast. It was far
away, but he leveled his rifle and fired.

Then horse and man arose as if by mu-
tual understanding, and, turning from the
knoll, he rode, the report of the gun behind
him merely urging him to hasten.

He was not afraid. He was not excited.
Late that night he reached the post, deliv-
ered his orders and turned to go. The
captain stopped him.

"Meet anybody on the way over?" he
asked.

The scout looked hard, as if digesting the
query. Then he thought. At last he an-
swered:

"Only some Indians."

"How many?" asked the captain.

"Was seven," said the scout. "Now six."

"On the warpath?" asked the captain.

The scout looked troubled, as though
bored by the questions.

"They fired," was all he said.

Now then the war was on in earnest. But
the scout ever after avoided the captain as
a man who talked too much.

The scout had eaten and slept and lay in-
difference looking upward at the barracks
ceiling. About him men were brushing uni-
forms, playing cards, writing letters, read-
ing papers, mending clothes and engaged in
the barracks occupations generally.

In the grounds noncommissioned officers
passed to and fro, bent on the duties of the
day. New recruits were being drilled, sing-
ly and in squads. Now and again a stiff
young lieutenant crossed to the officers' quarters or bent on inspection went through
the form of examining quarters to see
whether the dust had been properly brushed
away and the floor duly swept. Presently
a soldier entered, walked to where the
scout lay and said:

"Colonel wants you!"

The scout remained immovable for a few
seconds. Then he turned to the messenger
and looked him squarely in the eye. In a
moment he recovered his speech.

"Hello?"

That was all. Then he arose, deliberately
dressed, drew on his long boots, buckled
his belt with the ammunition and revolver
in place and started to quarters. The or-
derly halted him at the door.

"Colonel wants me," he said.

He passed in. The colonel ignored the
lack of a salute, for the keen-eyed man
before him was not a soldier, but a civilian
employee. Then he said:

"There is a woman here, the wife of Lent
Jasper, who is wounded at the ferry. She
wants to join her husband. You must guide
her over."

The scout looked half terrified.

"Woman?" he asked. The question had a
world of meaning, for the colored line of
the hostiles on the road, the dangers of the
route itself, its double dangers for a woman.
He nodded.

"It'd," said the scout.

"I ain't to be beat," said the colonel.

The scout stood still a moment. Then he
turned and walked out. As he passed the
gate he saw a woman before the officers' quarters. The sight revived his
memory.

In a few moments he was back at the col-
onel's quarters, his horse saddled, his
belts re-attached to the saddle, the rifle slung
by the horse's side, the mato rolled care-
fully over the saddle post.

"Tell him I'm ready," he said, gruffly to
the orderly. The soldier turned in disgust.
He was not used to unctuous orders.

The scout was impenetrable. So the or-
derly went.

When the scout was ordered in he turned about
and there was still silence. Unconsciously,
my hands began to go through my pockets.

From one of them I drew forth a letter
which I had hurriedly thrust into my coat
as I left my room, and which I had forgotten.
The address, I noticed, was in Rogers' handwriting.
I opened the envelope.

"Sorry, old man," the note ran, "but I
can't give that to you."

"I'm not," I repeated.

"But I shall light it," said Polly. "I shall buy candles
and keep it burning."

"But candles cost," said I. "Paraffine
candles."

"I shall keep it burning," Polly spoke de-
cidedly and her chin was set.

"I don't know but that's a good sug-
gestion," said Polly, holding her chin reflect-
ively between her right thumb and fore-
finger. "Set it down over there and let's
see how it looks."

I did not move. "I wouldn't have the
thing about my place. You won't light it—
what do you want the thing for?"

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"Perhaps you know what a white ele-
phant is?" I inquired, insinuating.

"I do, of course."

"I rather think you'll know better later
on. I rather think you've got one."